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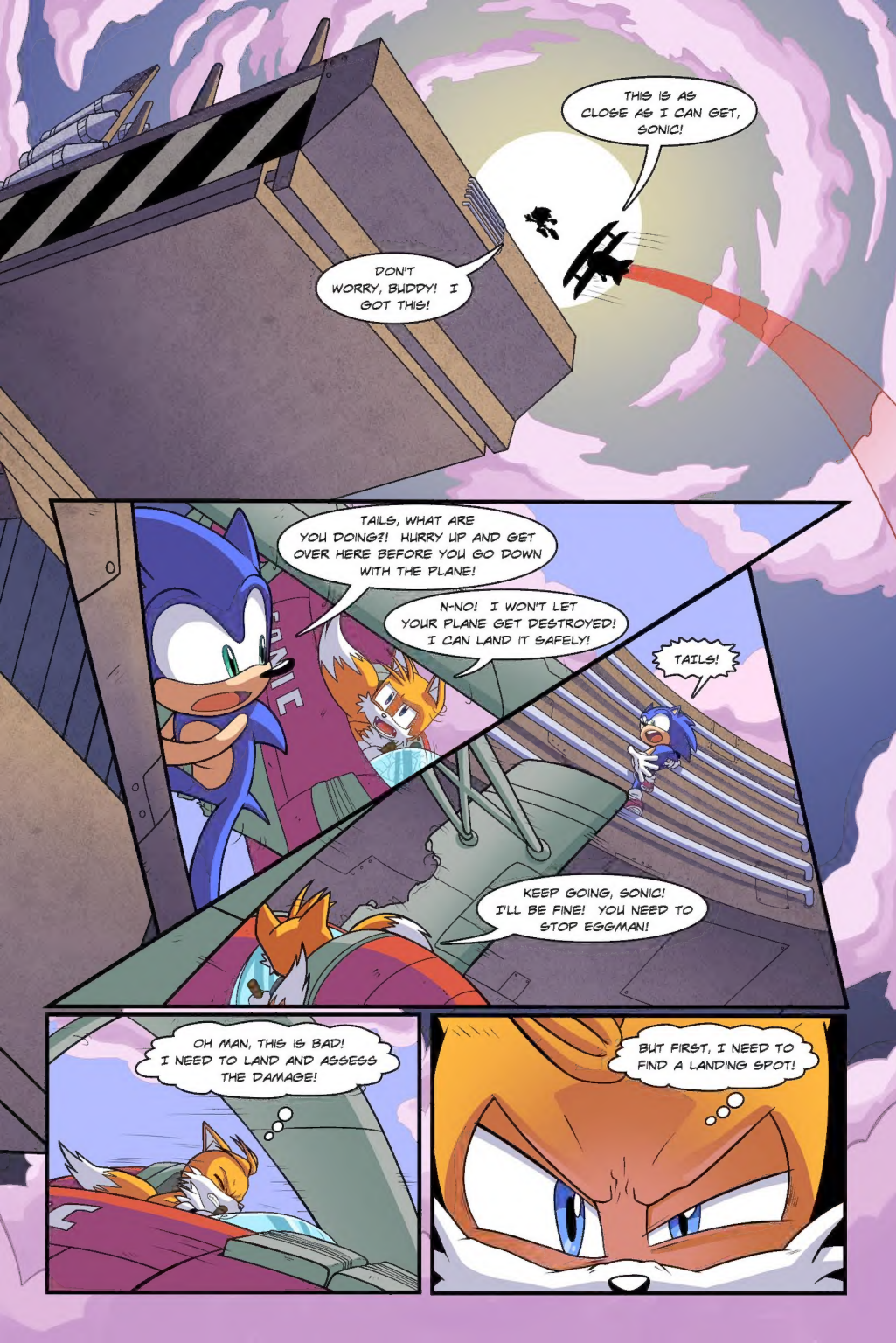
THIS IS AS CLOSE AS I CAN GET, SONIC!
DON'T WORRY, BUDDY! I GOT THIS!
TAILS, WHAT ARE YOU DOING?! HURRY UP AND GET OVER HERE BEFORE YOU GO DOWN WITH THE PLANE!
N-NO! I WON'T LET YOUR PLANE GET DESTROYED! I CAN LAND IT SAFELY!
TAILS!
KEEP GOING, SONIC! I'LL BE FINE! YOU NEED TO STOP EGGMAN!
OH MAN, THIS IS BAD! I NEED TO LAND AND ASSESS THE DAMAGE!
BUT FIRST, I NEED TO FIND A LANDING SPOT!

WATCH OUT! I'M SORRY!
THAT WAS TOO CLOSE!
W-WHA...?!

GAH! NO NO NO NO NO!
?!
WHY IS THERE A... WHATEVER! THIS IS MY CHANCE!
STAY CALM! KEEP THE PLANE STEADY AND PREPARE FOR A ROUGH LANDING! I CAN DO THIS! I CAN DO THIS!

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I... I...
I'M SORRYYYYY!
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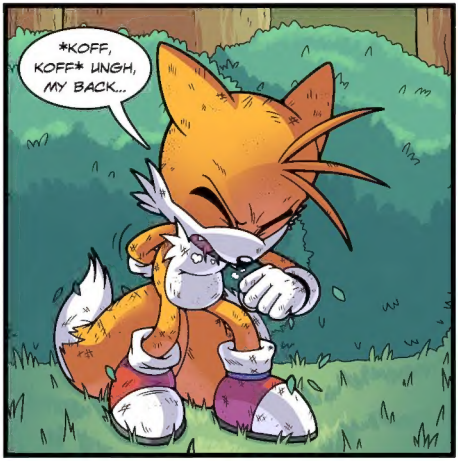
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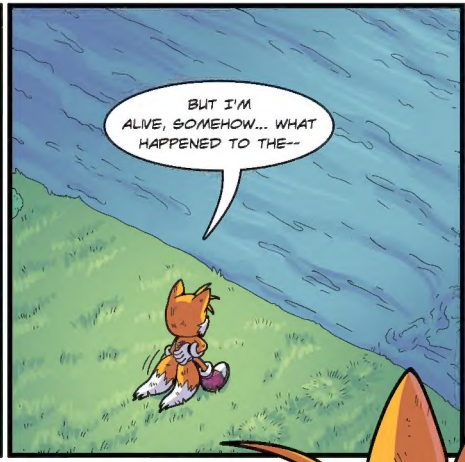
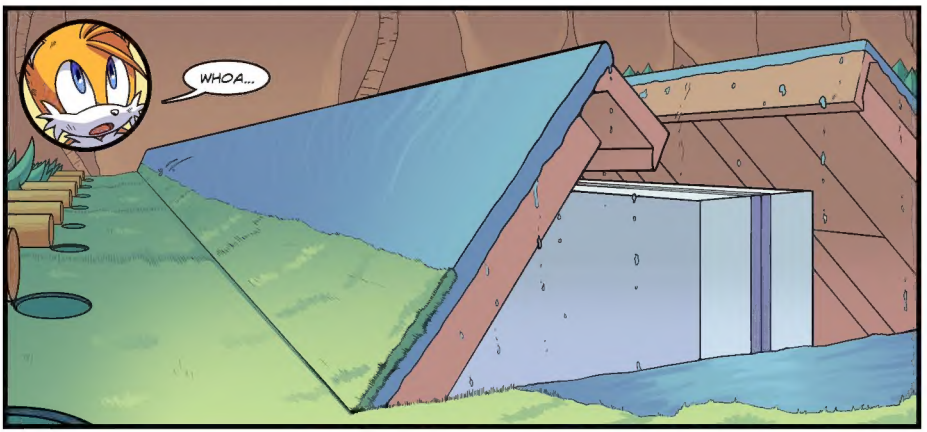

BUT I'M ALIVE, SOMEHOW... WHAT HAPPENED TO THE--

OH MAN, OH MAN, OH MAN...

WHAT HAVE I DONE?!

IT'S DEMOLISHED... I DON'T EVEN KNOW WHERE TO START...
WAY TO GO, LOSER! SONIC SAVES YOUR NECK AND YOU REPAY HIM BY TOTALING HIS PLANE!
CARROTIA WAS RIGHT. "TAILS" ISN'T SOME COOL NICKNAME. IT'S JUST WHAT A WIMP LIKE ME DESERVES TO BE CALLED...
RRRRRRUMBLE
W-WHAT'S HAPPENING?!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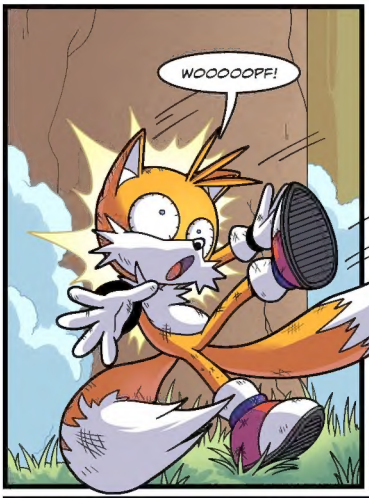
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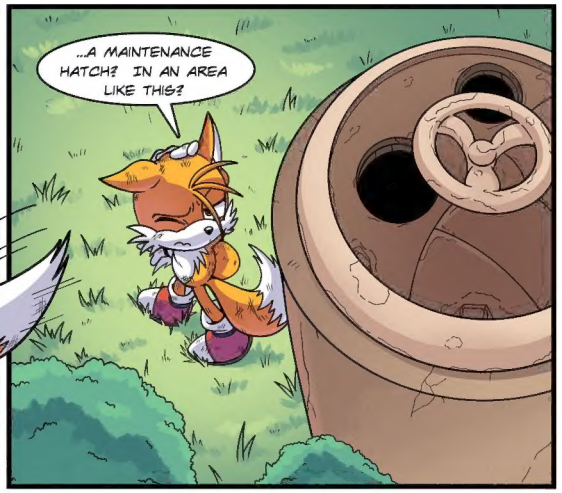
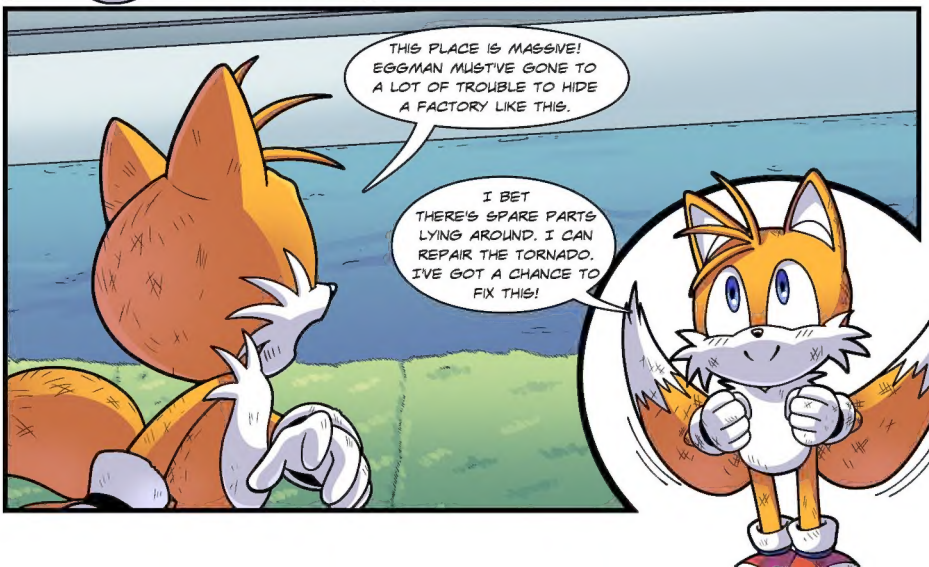

...A MAINTENANCE HATCH? IN AN AREA LIKE THIS?


THIS PLACE IS MASSIVE! EGGMAN MUST'VE GONE TO A LOT OF TROUBLE TO HIDE A FACTORY LIKE THIS.
I BET THERE'S SPARE PARTS LYING AROUND. I CAN REPAIR THE TORNADO. I'VE GOT A CHANCE TO FIX THIS!

SOON...
BRRR... MAYBE I SPOKE TOO SOON. GOOD THING I HAVE NOCTURNAL VISION.
FOCUS, TAILS... JUST FIND YOUR WAY OUT OF THIS TUNNEL, GET THE PARTS YOU NEED, AND FLY FAR, FAR AWAY FROM THIS CREEPY PLACE.
WHOA... HOW COULD EGGMAN HAVE CONSTRUCTED SUCH A ROBUST FACTORY IN AN AREA LIKE THIS, WITHOUT ANYBODY NOTICING? I DON'T KNOW WHETHER I'M IMPRESSED OR TERRIFIED...

THIS PLACE IS SPOOKY, BUT... IT'S NOT REALLY THE MAD SCIENTIST'S LAIR I WAS EXPECTING.

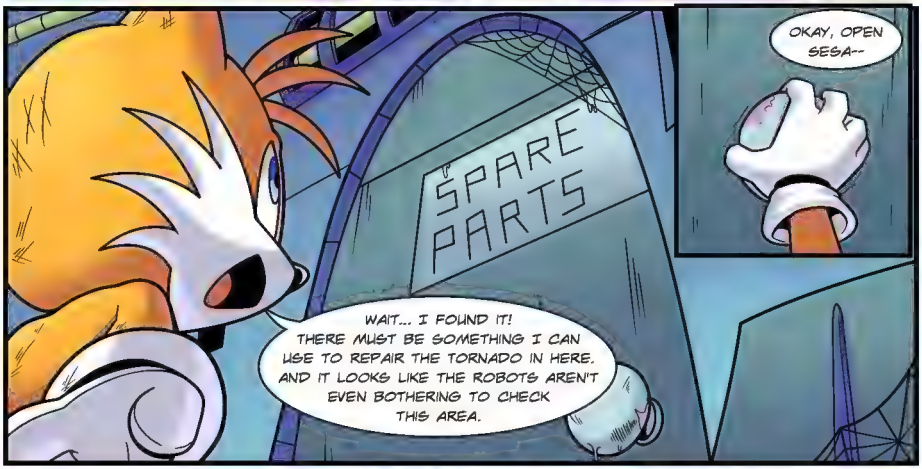
INSTEAD, IT FEELS... SAD. LONELY, EVEN.

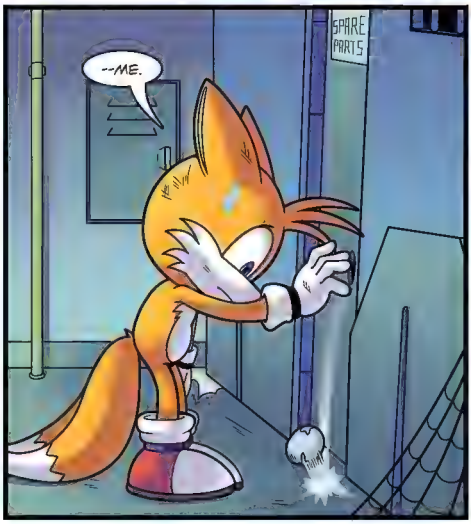
CASE IN POINT, I GUESS. AN OLD DUSTY HALLWAY PROBABLY DOESN'T HAVE ANYTHING IMPORTANT, SO--

SYSTEMS REPORT THE MAINTENANCE HATCH WAS OPENED IN THIS CORRIDOR. INVESTIGATE AND CAPTURE ANY POSSIBLE INTRUDERS!

JUST MY LUCK...!

WHAT'S WITH THIS HALLWAY? IT'S EVEN DUSTIER THAN THAT MAINTENANCE HATCH. IT'S LIKE THIS PART OF THE FACTORY WAS COMPLETELY ABANDONED...

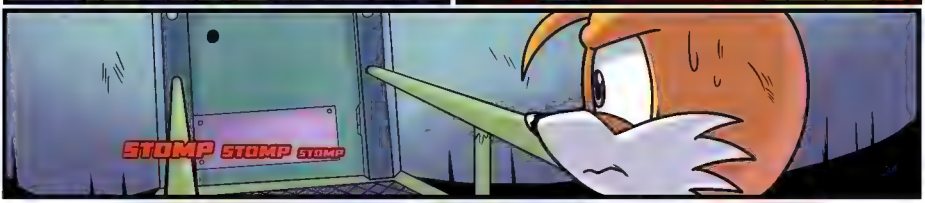

SPARE PARTS
OKAY, OPEN SESA--
WAIT... I FOUND IT! THERE MUST BE SOMETHING I CAN USE TO REPAIR THE TORNADO IN HERE. AND IT LOOKS LIKE THE ROBOTS AREN'T EVEN BOTHERING TO CHECK THIS AREA.


SPARE PARTS
--ME.

UNIDENTIFIED NOISE DETECTED! COMMENCING SCAN OF ORIGINATING AREA!

DID THEY NOTICE ME?

NO INTRUDER DETECTED. SUGGEST MOVING SEARCH ELSEWHERE.
SPARE PARTS
AFFIRMATIVE.


STOMP STOMP STOMP

WHEW... I THINK I JUST LOST HALF MY LIFESPAN.
I CAN'T FAIL AFTER COMING THIS FAR. MAYBE I CAN FIND WHAT I'M LOOKING FOR HERE...

ALL OF THESE FAILED MECHS, MAYBE THEY'LL--
AH HA! I'LL DEFINITELY NEED A NEW ENERGY CONVERTER.
HAHA! GOTCHA!
WHIRRRRR

WAIT, WHY IS THE MACHINE FLASHING?
DID I ACCIDENTALLY TURN IT...
WHAT'S THAT?!
HELLO? WHERE... WHERE... AM I?
WAIT, IT'S... TALKING?
WHO ARE YOU?!

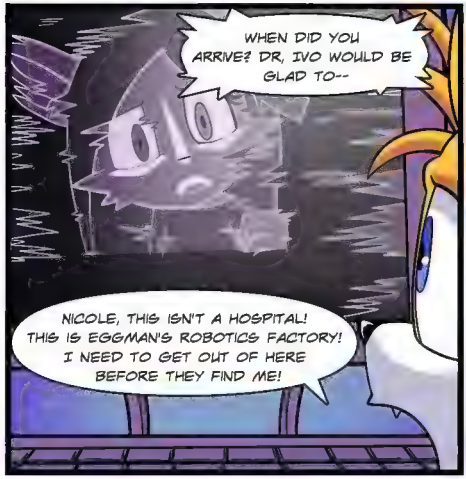
MY NAME IS... NICOLE. I CAN'T REMEMBER MUCH. BUT I REMEMBER A FACE. HIS NAME WAS IVO. HE WAS A NICE MAN. CAN YOU TELL ME YOUR NAME?
I-I'M MILES PROWER.
"MILES PER HOUR"? ISN'T THAT USED TO MEASURE SPEED?
NO, I MEAN... ACTUALLY, NEVER MIND. CALL ME TAILS.
TAILS? THAT'S A FUNNY NAME. DO YOU KNOW WHERE MY PARENTS ARE?
UH... YOUR "PARENTS"? YOU'RE A ROBOT, AREN'T YOU?

I'M NOT A ROBOT... AT LEAST, I DON'T THINK SO. BUT--

I'M SORRY, BUT I DON'T HAVE MUCH TIME! I NEED TO FIND PARTS TO FIX MY PLANE.
IF YOU'RE ONE OF EGGMAN'S MACHINES, IS THERE ANY WAY YOU CAN HELP?

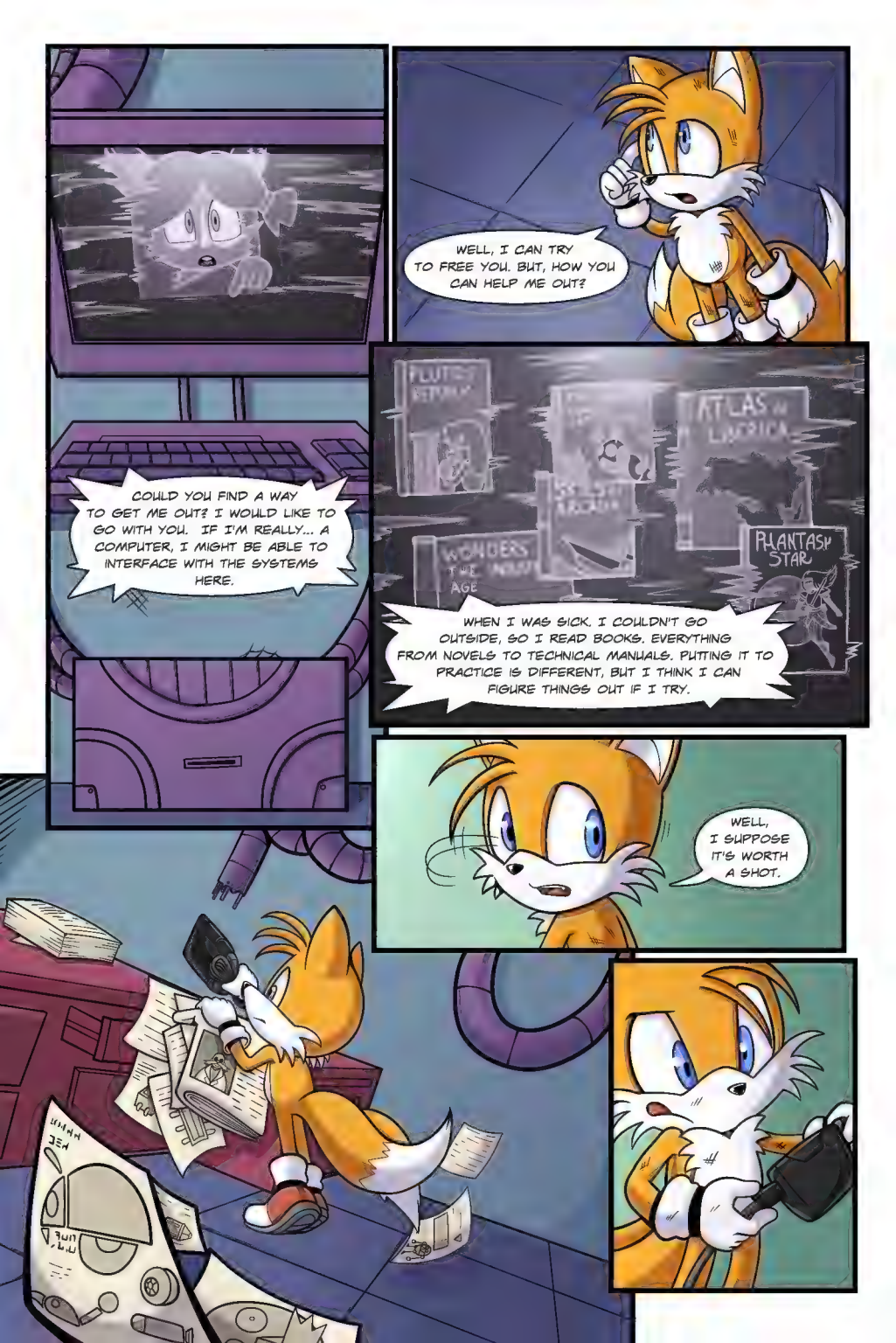
I'M SORRY, I DON'T KNOW WHO THIS "EGGMAN" IS. IS HE SOME SORT OF DOCTOR HERE AT THE HOSPITAL?

NO, HE'S A MANIAC! HE SHOT ME DOWN AND NOW I'M TRAPPED HERE WHILE MY FRIEND IS FIGHTING HIM!


WHEN DID YOU ARRIVE? DR. IVO WOULD BE GLAD TO--
NICOLE, THIS ISN'T A HOSPITAL! THIS IS EGGMAN'S ROBOTICS FACTORY! I NEED TO GET OUT OF HERE BEFORE THEY FIND ME!

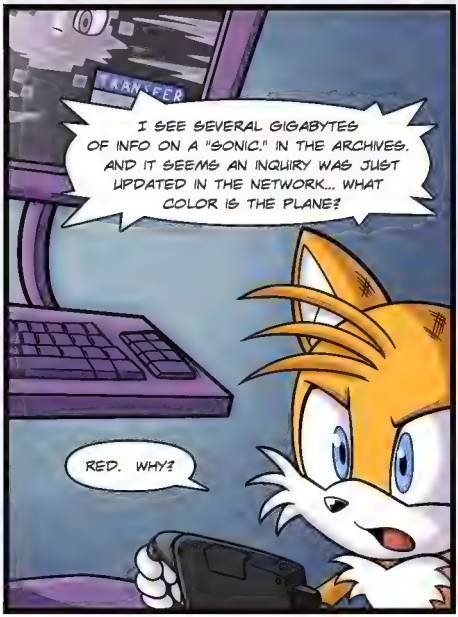
A FACTORY? WHY? WAS THIS PART OF THE TREATMENT DR. IVO WAS GIVING ME?

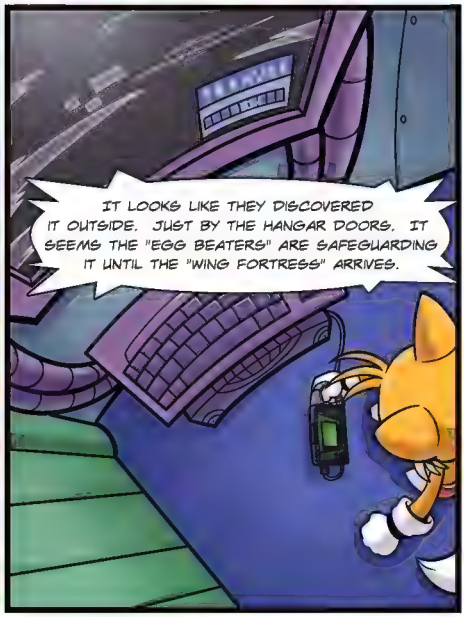
I DON'T KNOW HOW TO TELL YOU THIS, BUT YOU'RE INSIDE OF A COMPUTER. I CAN SEE YOU ON A MONITOR.
... I SEE. DR. IVO'S TREATMENT DIDN'T... BUT I DON'T FEEL DEAD, I THINK. HOW AM I HERE?
I HAVE NO IDEA. BUT IF EGGMAN'S ROBOTS FIND US, NEITHER OF US WILL BE HERE MUCH LONGER!
IS THAT SO? UMM, THEN, I HAVE A SUGGESTION. I KNOW YOU'RE IN A HURRY, BUT...
I GUESS ANYTHING WOULD HELP AT THIS POINT... WHAT DID YOU HAVE IN MIND?

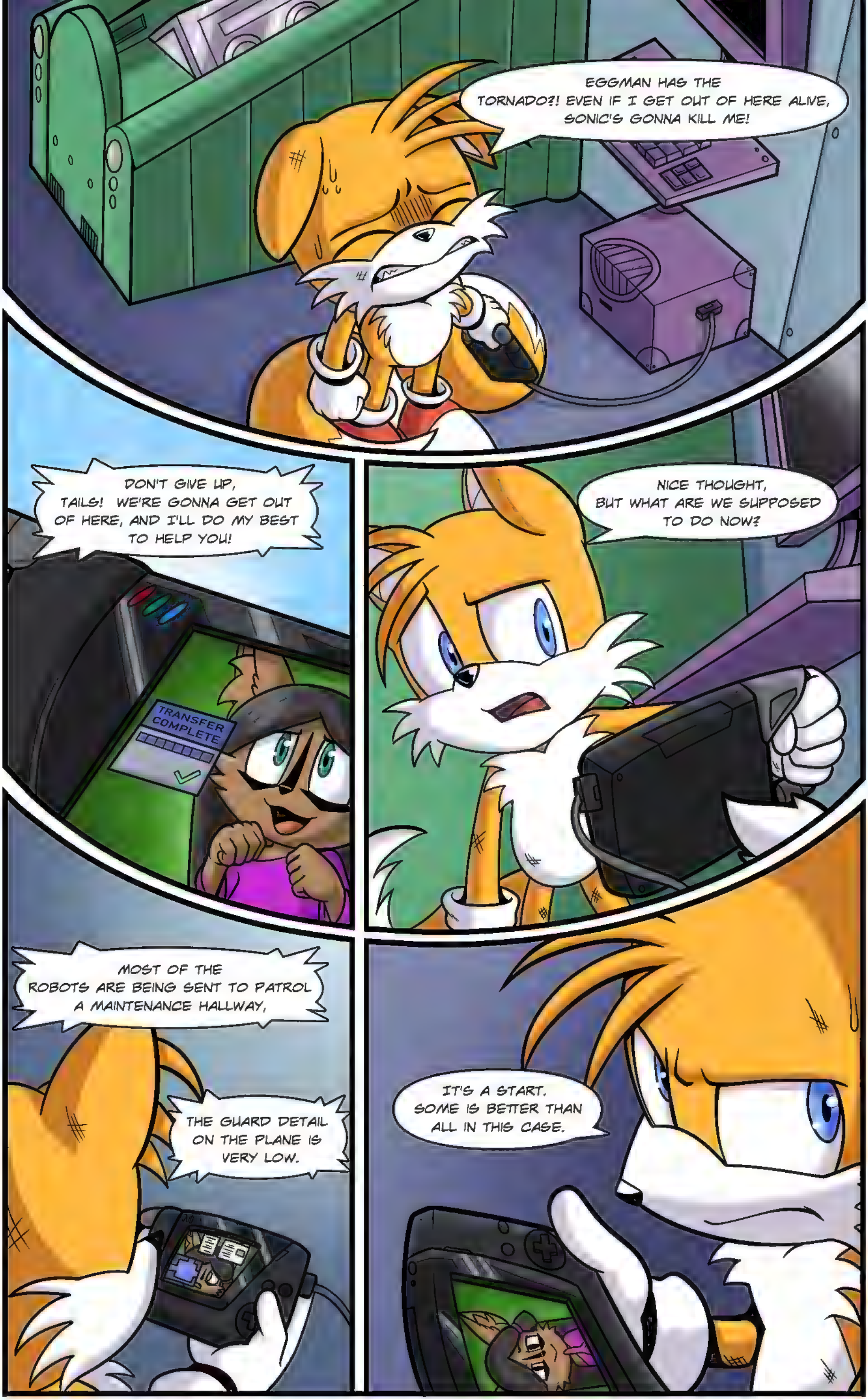

WELL, I CAN TRY TO FREE YOU. BUT, HOW YOU CAN HELP ME OUT?
COULD YOU FIND A WAY TO GET ME OUT? I WOULD LIKE TO GO WITH YOU. IF I'M REALLY... A COMPUTER, I MIGHT BE ABLE TO INTERFACE WITH THE SYSTEMS HERE.
ATLAS OF AMERICA
WONDERS OF THE MODERN AGE
PHANTASY STAR
WHEN I WAS SICK, I COULDN'T GO OUTSIDE, SO I READ BOOKS. EVERYTHING FROM NOVELS TO TECHNICAL MANUALS. PUTTING IT TO PRACTICE IS DIFFERENT, BUT I THINK I CAN FIGURE THINGS OUT IF I TRY.
WELL, I SUPPOSE IT'S WORTH A SHOT.

THANK YOU, TAILS.
THIS DATAPAD IS CONNECTED TO THE LOCAL NETWORK. I WILL TRY TO FIND THE BEST ROUTE FOR ESCAPE.

GREAT! BUT WE'RE NOT LEAVING UNTIL WE FIX SONIC'S PLANE. LUCKILY, IT HAPPENED TO LAND RIGHT OUTSIDE THIS PLACE.


I SEE SEVERAL GIGABYTES OF INFO ON A "SONIC." IN THE ARCHIVES. AND IT SEEMS AN INQUIRY WAS JUST UPDATED IN THE NETWORK... WHAT COLOR IS THE PLANE?
RED. WHY?


IT LOOKS LIKE THEY DISCOVERED IT OUTSIDE. JUST BY THE HANGAR DOORS. IT SEEMS THE "EGG BEATERS" ARE SAFEGUARDING IT UNTIL THE "WING FORTRESS" ARRIVES.


EGGMAN HAS THE TORNADO?! EVEN IF I GET OUT OF HERE ALIVE, SONIC'S GONNA KILL ME!
DON'T GIVE UP, TAILS! WE'RE GONNA GET OUT OF HERE, AND I'LL DO MY BEST TO HELP YOU!
TRANSFER COMPLETE
NICE THOUGHT, BUT WHAT ARE WE SUPPOSED TO DO NOW?
MOST OF THE ROBOTS ARE BEING SENT TO PATROL A MAINTENANCE HALLWAY,
THE GUARD DETAIL ON THE PLANE IS VERY LOW.
IT'S A START. SOME IS BETTER THAN ALL IN THIS CASE.

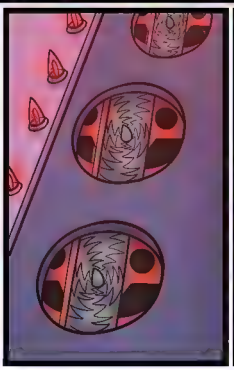
METROPOLIS MUNITIONS PROCESSING

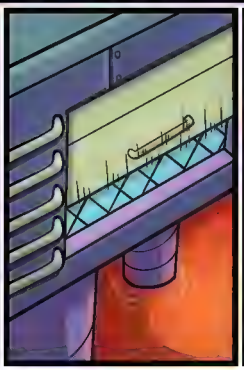
ARE YOU SURE THIS IS GOING TO WORK?

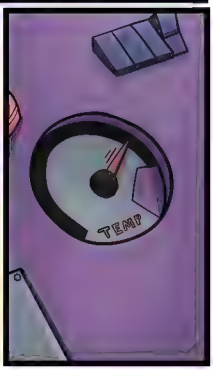
I'LL EXPLAIN ON THE WAY, BUT I HAVE AN IDEA ON HOW WE CAN GET TO AND FIX UP THE PLANE WITH NO DISTRACTIONS!

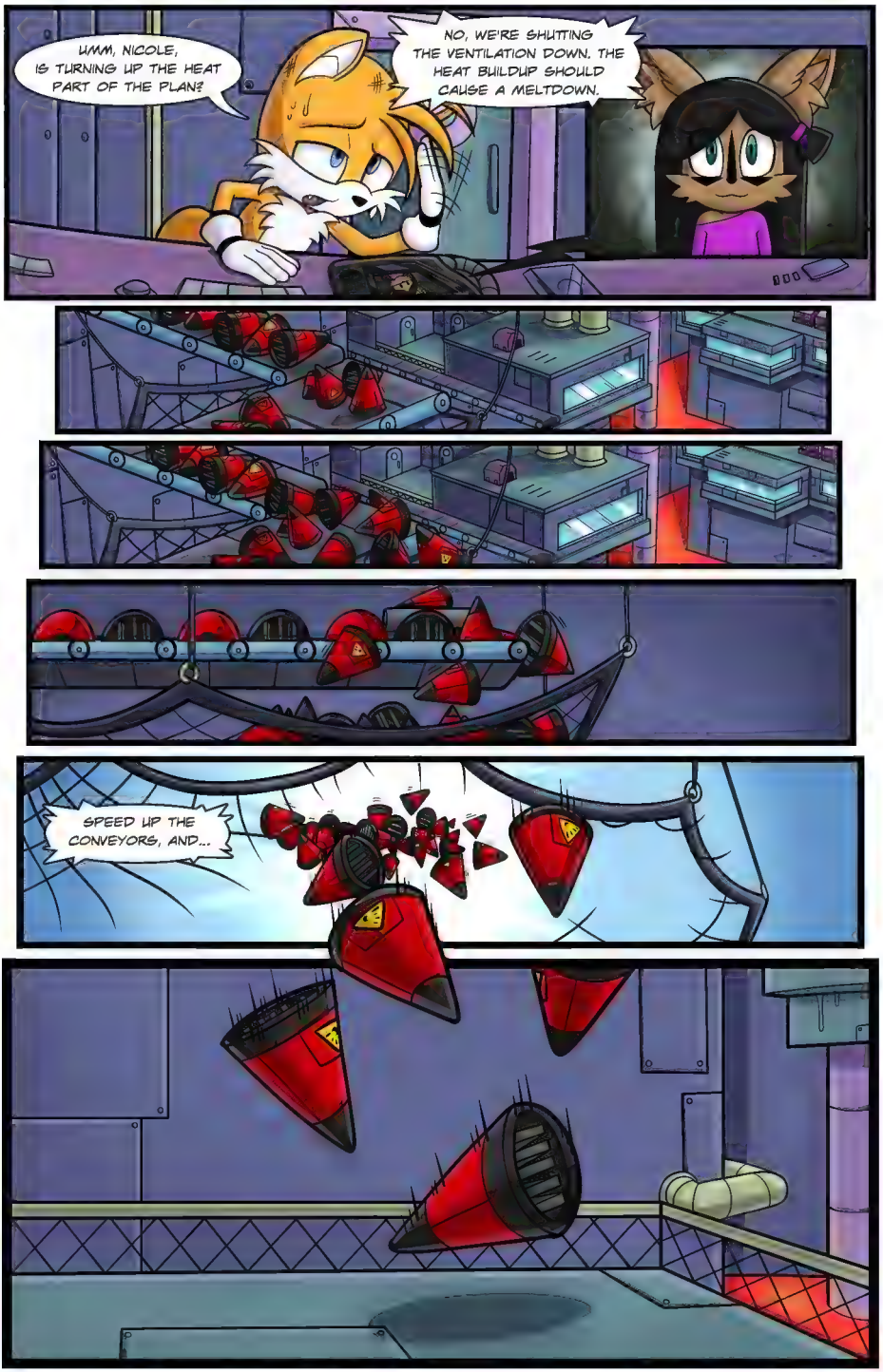
OF COURSE NOT! BUT DO WE HAVE ANY OTHER CHOICE?

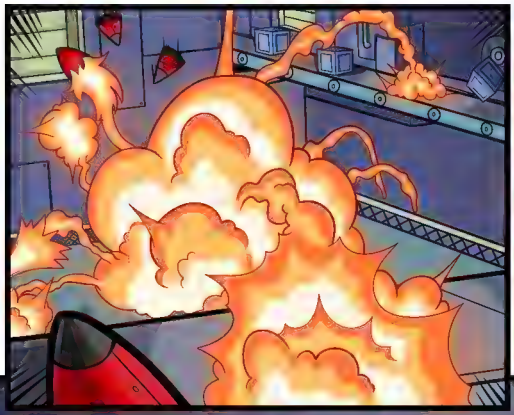
A COMFORTING LIE IN MY LAST MOMENTS WOULDN'T HAVE HURT.








UMM, NICOLE, IS TURNING UP THE HEAT PART OF THE PLAN?
NO, WE'RE SHUTTING THE VENTILATION DOWN. THE HEAT BUILDUP SHOULD CAUSE A MELTDOWN.
SPEED UP THE CONVEYORS, AND...



MULTIPLE HARD DETONATIONS DETECTED IN MUNITIONS PROCESSING. BADNIKS EVACUATE IMMEDIATELY. ALL E-99 AND E-99[B] UNITS REPORT TO MUNITIONS PROCESSING FOR FIRE SUPPRESSION.

BADNIK PROCESSING
ALRIGHT, TIME FOR SOME REPAIRS. HOW MUCH TIME DO I--
RRRRRUMBLE
NOT LONG! THE FIRE'S BEING CONTAINED. SOME HAVE BEEN GIVEN NEW ORDERS. THEY'RE SEARCHING FOR POSSIBLE INTRUDERS.
I NEED TO BE QUICK, THEN. GOOD THING I BROUGHT THESE ALONG!
WHAT IS THAT?
CAPSULE TECH MY MENTOR'S BEEN WORKING ON! CODENAME: MAGIC HANDS!
BINGO! NOW LET'S GET TO WORK.

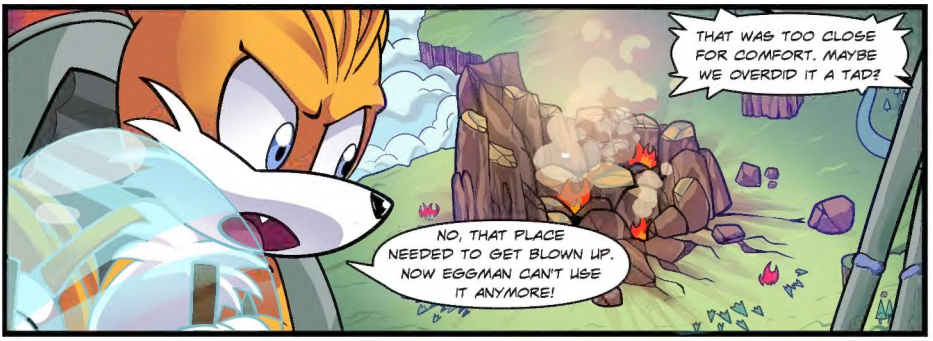
SEVERAL MINUTES LATER...
I DID IT... I ACTUALLY DID IT!
YOU'RE AMAZING, TAILS! I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU FIXED IT SO FAST.
I ALWAYS DID HAVE A KNACK FOR THIS STUFF.

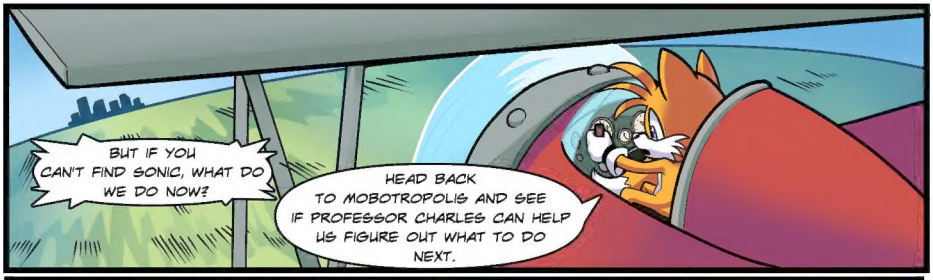
NOW THAT THE TORNADO IS FIXED, I CAN GET BACK TO SONIC!
HOORAY! WHERE IS HE?

O-OH, NO! I HAVE NO IDEA WHERE HE IS! HE WAS STILL ON THE AIRSHIP AND IT COULD BE ANYWHERE BY NOW!
TAILS, WE DON'T HAVE TIME! THE FIRES SPREADING AND THE ROBOTS ARE HEADING THIS WAY!

R-RIGHT! LET'S GET OUTTA HERE!

SONIC
SONIC





MOBOTROPOLIS...? AND PROFESSOR CHARLES?

N-NOTHING... LET'S GO! IT SOUNDS EXCITING, JUST LIKE... OPENING A NEW BOOK.

NICOLE? IS SOMETHING WRONG?

TAILS HAS NARROWLY ESCAPED CERTAIN DOOM! EGGMAN'S GROUND OPERATIONS ARE IN PIECES. THE PRODIGIOUS FOX RETURNS TO MOBOTROPOLIS, ANXIETY FILLING HIS HEART. BUT WHILE HE AWAITS THE FUTURE WITH TREPIDATION, A SCION OF HOPE FROM THE PAST LOOKS FORWARD, EQUAL PARTS EAGER AND NERVOUS. IF ONLY THEY KNEW WHAT SONIC WAS GOING THROUGH RIGHT NOW...

From the Team

"Working on these ML issues are always a blast, seeing more of the world in other characters' perspectives. Can't wait to get more of them out!"
- CelestOrion

"There was a lot on my plate when coloring this but I'm glad we got it all done! I'm looking forward to my next big Legacy project!" - Rubris

"Isn't it funny how two people can see the exact same event in completely different ways? Like two tails on the same fox." - SonicWindAttack

"Fun fact, the first draft of this issue was 38 pages. Celest has threatened to hit me with an oar if I do that again. And yes, the animals do survive."
- Wulfsbane

"When Life Gives you Lemons...wait, where was I going with this?"
- UrsineTimes

"This issue was a marathon to work on. It really pushed me to the limit as an artist to get it done on time. Still, I hope all that hard work paid off and gave you a good and fun issue to read!"
- Fours

"Everyone chipped in a lot of effort for this issue, and I thank the team for all of their hard work! It wouldn't have been possible without everyone's contributions."
- BayLaurel

"I hope you all enjoy ML Issue 2. Everyone did a really job working on this issue. :3" - SweetShadow

"Autosave Denied." - VanessaSonica

"The editing and finalization process for this issue was a behemoth all on it's own. Our staff, from pencils to inks to colors all deserve your love. Make sure to show it to them if you loved this issue." - Sunshine Nine

"Hey there, everyone! Sorry for the small delay we had while working on this issue. We're still focused on trying to keep to our bi-monthly release window, but as with all things in real life, sometimes delays happen outside of our control. We still have a slew of issues in the work behind the scenes, all the way up to the finale of what we like to call the "Death Egg Saga", so we hope that you'll be as excited as we are as we continue to knock out these issues and see them brought to life outside of scripts and thumbnails!"
- Sonic Legacy

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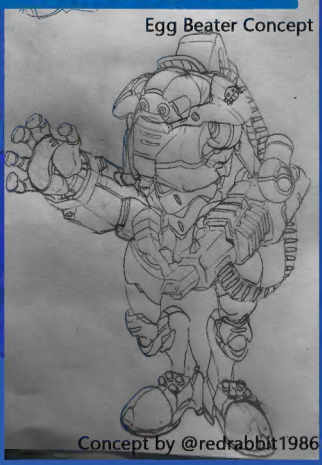
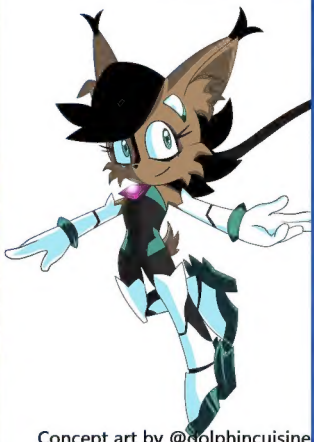


Egg Beater Concept

Concept by @redrabbit1986



Nicole (older) Concept

Concept art by @dolphincuisine

LETTER

Hey there, readers! Special Delivery Zone is a new section we're adding to the end of each issue where fan mail for Legacy can be posted, as well as upcoming covers to the next issue, concept art for the characters and locations in the comic! There's a lot of new material just around the corner from us, so hang tight! If you want a letter featured in an issue, just send your mail to soniclegacysp@gmail.com and you could be seen!

"First time asking any questions here, but I really liked the comic so far! I really like the concept of taking a little bit of everything from each continuity. That being said, what is your opinion on other comics/fan content that attempts to do something similar to Legacy?"

- MaxRadishOne (Discord Server)

We support everyone in their creative endeavours! Whether it be comics, animation, fangames, fiction, etc, we want people to be able to tell their own stories of their favorite characters, and what sort of adventures await them!

"Do you guys plan to incorporate the 8-bit version of Sonic 2 in the story?"

- Dreamy Mirastone (Discord Server)

There honestly wasn't too much of a story to work off of regarding the 8-bit Sonic games, so instead of aiming for a narrative focus regarding those games, we decided to meld locations from the game into the 16-bit environment, such as Under Ground Zone being outside Mobotropolis' city limits, or the Sky High Zone reference in this issue towards the beginning!

"What were the steps to create Sonic, the character, into Legacy? "

- Utopian (Discord Server)

Personally speaking, I feel as if Sonic is an often misunderstood character within the franchise. While he has a heart of gold and willing to help out his friends, he does have a selfish streak, and loves to get into fights, often disregarding the immediate danger it can pose, and how it can affect others around him. We wanted to dive further into this aspect of his character and how his actions can weigh on the world at large.t

"One of my least favorite things about current era sonic is how stagnant it feels. Will Legacy Sonic evolve over time, for better and for worse?"

- SkullCruncher123 (Email)

Legacy Sonic starts off with Sonic having little knowledge of the outside world, and growing into his abilities and friendships. He'll make mistakes as he goes, and learn from them, as will other characters alongside him. We're honestly really excited to show the stories that we have planned!